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NOVEL APOPTOSIS PROTEINS
and having the named inventors:
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and described in

- ☒ the specification filed herewith
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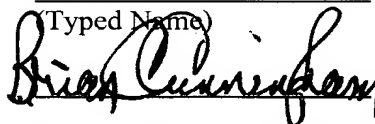
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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled NOVEL APOPTOSIS PROTEINS the specification of which

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(Number)	(Country)	(Day/Month/Year Filed)	Yes	No
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